

Ironton, Missouri.

THURSDAY, JULY 4, 1907.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

**Hurrah for Independence Day!**  
Representative Polk writes a letter from California.

The city marshal is cutting the fence and other weeds.

All is in readiness for the big Fourth of July celebration.

Come to the REGISTER office when you want good printing.

The Ironton and Des Arc clubs will play ball here next Sunday.

The REGISTER has an interesting letter from the North this week.

The county board of education adopts the text books Friday, July 5th.

**WANTED**—To buy a good young milch cow. H. S. Whitener, Pilot Knob.

Pilot Knob now has town officers again and is a genuine municipality.

The railroads are selling more tickets since the two-cent rate went into effect.

A game of ball will be one of the attractions at the picnic and barbecue July 4th.

**WANTED**—To buy a good family saddle and driving horse. H. S. Whitener, Pilot Knob.

A. Block sends us a card from Jacksonville, Florida, stating that he is on his way to Cuba.

Our trains have been running more nearly on time the past week than for some months past.

Dick Baldwin says that the roads in England make that a great country for the automobile.

Mrs. Hughes, of St. Louis, is very sick at the home of her brother, Dr. Wick, in Ironton.

James P. Barger has purchased the Sutton cottage erected by the screen factory a couple of years since.

A. Roehry mails us a card from California, stating that he is very favorably impressed with that section.

A number of diamond drills are to be put at work in the Bismarck neighborhood for the purpose of boring for lead.

Mrs. Woolem, relict of the late Jack Woolem, died at her home in north Ironton Tuesday night, at an advanced age.

July 25th is the date now set for the execution of John and Amalek Brooks. Bill Spauld is sentenced to be hung the same day.

There will be no preaching service at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath, as the pastor expects to be out of the city.

The ladies of St. Paul's church will serve ice cream and cake in the church yard next Thursday, the 11th, afternoon and evening.

Herman Dinger, one of the Valley contractors, has been at work at Graniteville the past week building a large porch for Mrs. Sheay.

**DIED**—On Marble Creek, Mo., June 25, 1907, Hazel Lyon, infant daughter of B. M. and Kattie Patterson, aged 5 months and 13 days.

**MARRIED**—At Ironton, Mo., Monday, July 1, 1907, Barmine Laplank and Susie Lillis, both of French Mills, Rev. J. G. Reynolds officiating.

Ninety school girls from St. Louis spent last Thursday at the convent. During their short stay they visited the quarry and other points of interest.

Our fellow townsman, John Nagel, has invented a medicine chest, which he proposes patenting and putting on the market. He may make plenty of money out of it.

The new mail carriers on the star routes began their work July 1st. H. M. Collins carries the mail to the Silver Mines, and Jos. Haven carries from here to Warren's Store.

Dr. Jones of Brunot, Iron county, has this week been looking over Oran with a view to locating here. We would be glad to have him. There is room for many more.—Oran Citizen.

The railroad officials have promised that work shall be commenced on our new station this month. But we have long since learned that the promises of railroad officials are easily broken.

John Nagel has leased his home on Main street to O. B. Galloway, of Poplar Bluff, for the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Nagel left Tuesday for St. Louis where they will make their home for the present.

Services will be held in St. Paul's church Sunday, July 7th. Each communicant is asked to bring twenty-five cents as an offering toward the Diocesan assessment and for Diocesan Missions.

Miss Ethel Scott, who has been teaching at the Blair school in St. Louis, returned to Rolla Tuesday afternoon to spend the vacation with her parents. Prof. John B. Scott and wife.—Rolla Herald-Democrat.

Mrs. Lora S. LaMance, State Organizer of the W. C. T. U., writes the REGISTER that she will be in Ironton Monday and Tuesday, July 15th and 16th, for the purpose of organizing a local branch of the W. C. T. U. Mrs. LaMance will deliver addresses on the dates named.

Prof. Wilkinson and family arrived in the Valley last Thursday from Upper Alton, Ill., to spend the summer. We regret to hear that Mrs. Wilkinson has been in poor health the past two months, but it is hoped that rest in the Valley will soon restore her.

A traveling man for one of the big hat houses in St. Louis, who recently visited Ironton, says that the store of the Lopez Store Company in this city is a long ways the swellest store that he knows of in any of the country towns in Missouri. Quite a compliment.

The REGISTER is indebted to Mr. Cranston, the representative of the American Book Company, for a copy of the Natural School Geography—special edition for Missouri and Iowa. It is indeed an excellent publication and magnificent specimen of the printers' art.

The suit of Mrs. V. C. Raney against G. W. Raney, for divorce, was argued in Judge McDonald's division of the circuit court in St. Louis Monday. It seems that Mr. Raney made no appearance in court. The judge took the matter under advisement until Mr. Raney could be heard from.

The school board for the Ironton district meets Saturday evening, when the matter of selecting a principal for the schools will be again considered. We understand that the board has a number of applications, but some of the members do not want to make a contract without first seeing their man.

Just now the nasturtium and the sweet pea are in the height of their glory. Those having beds of flowers that they desire to enter for the prizes offered, will please call the attention of the judges to them. Judge Barnhouse, Mrs. W. J. Smith and Mrs. M. J. Francis are the special committee on awards.

It's a long twenty miles "overland" between Ironton and Fredericktown, with many a rocky stretch along the way. Ask the bunch who, last Sunday, fruitless spanned its trying breadth. I am reminded of the lines: "The king of France, with forty thousand men, Marched up the hill, and then marched down again."

It is a great pleasure to look around the town and see the many well kept yards this year. We understand that the judges for the Lawn Improvement Association are on the lookout, and are noting carefully the great improvement that is shown since they visited the yards of those competing for the prizes in the early spring.

Rev. L. M. Thompson, Rev. and Mrs. W. R. McCormack, Prof. and Mrs. G. B. Thomas, Misses Minnie Glover, Wilma Denman, Gertrude McCormick and Lillian Thompson are attending an Epworth League convention at Ironton this week. From Ironton Rev. Thompson will go to Appleton City, Mo., for a ten days' visit.—Farmington News.

Watermelons will not be ready to ship from here before the 10th of August, and then there will not be more than twenty loads go from here, it is now predicted. Our people can raise them all right, but they have had such poor luck with buyers and commission men that they have become disgusted with the crop.—Dunklin Democrat.

A steam pump was recently stolen from the pump house at the Iron Mountain dam. The people who have charge of the property here Monday and had Justice Rasche issue a search warrant for the house of a scrap iron dealer at Pilot Knob. The constable made a careful search of the house, but was unable to locate the missing pump.

Deputy Constable Worley cut James Kitchell with a knife Sunday morning, at Annapolis. Kitchell claims that the cutting was inexcusable, while Worley says that Kitchell was trying to hit him with a pair of knucks. Squire Kitchell issued a warrant for Worley Sunday, and Worley was here Monday trying to get a warrant for Kitchell.

The editor is in receipt of a very pleasant letter from Mrs. W. H. Haller. Mr. Haller is now engaged in business in St. Louis, but the family are living at De Soto. They have three little girls and Miss Mina Easenwein is making her home with them. Their Ironton friends will be glad to learn that they are all in good health and doing nicely.

The young folks who went over to Fredericktown last Sunday had a new experience: they couldn't buy a cigar nor a meal at a restaurant—all such places were closed tight as a drum. It is singular that the ultra good people of that town—particularly, the strenuous prosecuting attorney—don't devise ways and means for punishing the Lord for making men hungry a Sunday.

W. E. Butler's store was broken into Wednesday night and the safe blown open. The explosion was heard by several people and occurred about 1:30 Thursday morning. The thieves were evidently scared away as no attempt seems to have been made to force the inner door of the safe. Two "bums" who had been loitering about town during the evening are supposed to have done the job. Efforts are being made to apprehend them.—Bismarck Gazette.

J. W. Berryman is the prize fisherman so far this season, and a recent record made by him will be hard to equal for many a day. While out with a party of friends casting for bass and using a special fly with twenty-five hooks on it, a three and one-half pound bass made a dash for it and swallowed the entire bunch of hooks. It is said by some members of the party that it took one solid hour to get the fish loose, but the flies are certainly dandies and if a fish gets near one he is a goner.—Poplar Bluff Republican.

President Thomas, of Carleton College, Farmington, was among the visitors to Ironton during the Epworth League convention last week. Prof. Thomas has made a great success of the Farmington school, and is now thinking of establishing an industrial school and college. He was much impressed with the natural advantages of the Valley as a location for such an institution. He says the Newman farm, west of town, would be an ideal place for the school he contemplates. His plan is to organize a stock company and found a college. We may hear from him in this connection later.

The Ironton base ball team went over to Fredericktown last Sunday to play a match game with the nine of that town. Promptly at two o'clock the game was called and five innings were played when the score stood 4 to 0 in favor of Fredericktown. At the beginning of the sixth inning the pitcher for the neighboring team, presumably annoyed by the geying of the Ironton rooters, lost his temper and threw his ball so as to endanger the Irontons at the bat, finally casting one ball at the boys on the bench. He threw with the force of a catapult, but fortunately hit nobody. This broke up the game, the Fredericktowns protesting as earnestly as their visitors. The services of the pitcher were then and there dispensed with and he was discharged from the team.

"Geying" seems to be an indispensable adjunct to the play, but I cannot help thinking that it is a rule that could be more honored in its breach than observance. I am glad that in this instance it led to no more serious result. The members of the Ironton nine speak highly of the conduct of their opponents, with this one exception, and hope to measure bats with them another day.

Our "devil" of thirty-five years ago, W. A. Tetwiler, is now issuing a publication which he calls Information in Colton, California. From a recent issue thereof we take the following: "Dropped down to Corona, first time in six years, on Sunday, and enjoyed a visit at the home of Mr. F. Scoville and family. The older members of the family lived in my native town many years, and each of us have acquaintance with people of the town in ye days that are passed. Our talks were mostly along reminiscent lines, and it is astonishing when the families of those days yet living and their branches are recalled and traced up to learn how they have scattered. If all the former residents of Ironton, Mo., and their descendants now living in Southern California would meet at some appointed place the largeness of the number would be astonishing. Yet each would be practically ignorant of the near presence of the other if it were not for the old home paper, the REGISTER, which follows the departed to all points of the compass and is the means of keeping the memories of all fresh. Well, the Misses Tetwiler, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., are being entertained the second week by the Misses Scoville, but will return here next Monday."

Our young friend, Dr. F. W. Trauernicht, attended a meeting of the Dental Association at Kansas City, and afterward made a visit to Topeka, Kansas, a couple of weeks ago. His wife and baby accompanied him, and a pleasant time was had. On his return the Dr., telling of his various experiences, related that although Kansas is a Prohibition State, there was no lack of the fluids which both cheer and inebriate. The labels of Budweiser and Schlitz and Pabst were familiar objects, and he who had the price need not go astray. At a local temperance meeting last Sunday evening Rev. J. G. Reynolds took exception to Dr. Trauernicht's relation of his Topeka experience and read a letter from the mayor of that city, who asseverates that the "lid" is down tight and hermetically sealed within the limits of his jurisdiction, and that the State is "dry" as a powder-horn, so to speak. This gave flat denial to Dr. T's assertions, and therefore it was with no little satisfaction that he yesterday morning handed us the following special to the Globe-Democrat, dated Leavenworth, July 1, 1907: "When the office of the United States internal revenue collector closed at 6 o'clock this evening more than 4000 applications for government liquor licenses had been received. The old licenses expired at midnight last night. The applications received to-day came from every locality in the State. The applicant does not have to wait until he receives his license before he can start in business. The moment he files his application he is entitled to the protection the license gives him." The Dr. thinks his word stands, vindicated, the contention of Rev. Reynolds and the mayor of Topeka to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Lopez Store Co. has received a large quantity of new goods this week, especially adapted to the heated season.

## Summary for June.

Mean maximum.....82  
Mean minimum.....56  
Mean.....69  
Maximum.....90  
Minimum.....43  
Precipitation.....3.88 inches  
W. H. DELANO, Observer.

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## PERSONAL.

W. R. Edgar was in St. Louis last Friday.

W. J. Fitz of Des Arc was in Ironton Friday.

Sam. Bond of Bellevue was in town Saturday.

J. L. Baldwin and wife were in St. Louis last week.

Vol. Turner and family of St. Louis are at "Hillside."

Skip Lewis and son of Annapolis were callers Wednesday.

H. B. Ake is expected here from Memphis, Tenn., this week.

J. Hummel was in Reynolds county several days last week.

Mrs. Wm. Rieke returned last week from a visit to St. Louis.

Warren Prince is attending the Chicago University this summer.

Mrs. Bolch of Annapolis was the guest of Mrs. Ed. Benson last week.

Mrs. W. M. Hightower of St. Louis was in the Valley Tuesday.

Thos. Jackson of Reynolds county was an Ironton visitor Tuesday.

Douglas M. Ringo of Mississippi county is visiting relatives in the Valley.

O. B. Galloway and family of Poplar Bluff have been in the Valley the past week.

Will Hills is here from Crystal City, suffering from a fractured bone in one of his arms.

Mrs. Dr. Trauernicht returned home Saturday after a month's absence in Topeka, Kansas.

Mrs. Albert Kuehle and son, Freddie, have been the guests of friends at Hogan the past week.

Arcadia Hotel arrivals: Milton Moore and wife, M. L. Townsend, R. R. Mason, Lucy Nicoll, Mrs. E. Cochrane, David Nicoll, Wm. N. Nicoll, Mrs. Lon Harviell, W. H. M. Haskell, C. T. Hall, J. M. Dun- dy, Mrs. G. B. Farrar, Wm. B. Potter, St. Louis; Miss L. Darst, Mrs. W. H. Smith, Francis Smith, Harry Smith, Mary H. Smith, Lon Harviell, Ferguson; W. A. Robey, John Jones, M. H. Spencer, Fredericktown.

New Commercial Hotel arrivals: R. R. Mason, M. J. Presher, M. W. Mayfield, S. T. Boothe, M. A. Bright, Alfred Rickell, E. G. Davis, W. L. Coley, W. J. Williamson, A. D. Hartwell, G. M. London, R. E. Young, W. J. Meadows, Geo. Mockler, wife and child, Wm. Kaune, W. A. Muller, J. L. Lawry, W. F. Rabacka, J. C. Mitchell, A. G. Kellan, J. P. Lynch, A. G. Fousts, A. J. Smith, J. E. Megard, R. A. Shea, W. C. Long, E. F. Chenot, Chas. S. Tucker, A. S. King, John M. Cassie, M. F. Maples, W. A. Robey, W. C. Warrell, Norman Gordon, James M. Briddle, R. B. Groves, St. Louis; G. V. Whitner, Flat River; Theodore Collins, Piedmont; R. W. Cranston, Minneapolis, Minn.; A. M. Dodderer, Delaware; G. S. Coleman, De Soto; I. M. Wade, F. E. Pierpont, Chicago; Warren Brinkman, W. Bach, H. T. Eaves, Hillsboro, Mo.; C. M. Murray, Bismarck; Geo. W. Hull, Corridon, Mo.; W. F. Guffeh, New York; F. J. Flagg, Buffalo, N. Y.; A. J. Leathers, J. H. Jones, Farmington; Harry Raney, Brunot.

## Middlebrook items.

Fritz Gassman is working at Des Arc with his brother George.

Mrs. L. Seitz and nephew, and Miss Annie Egan, all of St. Louis, were guests of Mrs. Bix last week.

Ed. Doyle, Jr., has returned home from commercial college.

Wm. Trauernicht went to Bismarck Tuesday last week.

Misses Lou and Edna Osterle, F. Rodack, George P. Foster, Mrs. Wm. Trauernicht and Mrs. John Houck were in Ironton Wednesday last week.

Guy Johnson was down from Bismarck Thursday on a visit to home folk.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Fitzpatrick got on the train here Friday.

Andy Sheahan boarded the train here Friday for St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Kadner went to Iron Mountain Saturday morning, and to Ironton in the afternoon.

Mr. Shomberg, of St. Louis, was looking over several of the farms in this vicinity Saturday. He says if he can find one to suit him he will locate here.

Mrs. L. Seitz and Miss Annie Egan returned to St. Louis Sunday.

As. Houck, who has been visiting her son, John, returned to East St. Louis Sunday.

Joseph Reymann and Judge Barnhouse were here Sunday.

Elisha Burr has finished his four years' contract as mail carrier between this place and Bellevue.

He was accompanied on his last trip, Sunday afternoon, by Newt. Warren, Dr. J. Q. Adams and Chas. Bond. Lisha has been a faithful servant, and his many friends here will miss his genial smile. Whatever may be his future vocation we wish him success. John Goggins, his successor, made his first trip Monday morning.

Wm. Robinson and John McGrath, of Graniteville, were in town Monday. SCRIBBLER.

## Graniteville items.

A. J. Sheahan returned home from St. Louis Sunday.

John Wood and wife, of Leavenworth, Kan., are the guests of Mr. Wood's parents at this place this week.

Rev. E. H. Spiller filled his regular appointment at Irondale, Sunday.

Allie Trauernicht, of Leadwood, passed through town Sunday.

Will Edmonds went to St. Louis Thursday last week.

Lon. Light has returned from Williamsburg.

Mrs. Kelley and little daughter, Mamie, of Flat River, are the guests of Mrs. P. Hartman, this week.

Mrs. Edna Carty, of Flat River, is at home with her parents for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schneider went to St. Louis last week.

O. E. McCabe has returned home from Pine Bluff, Ark.

Miss Maude Ferguson went to Leadwood Sunday.

P. Hartman and Ed. Evans returned from Little Rock, Ark., Sunday.

Miss Lucy Kidd, of St. Louis, will visit with relatives at this place for a few weeks.

**MARRIED**—On June 28, 1907, Mrs. McLeod and A. Sherrill of Pilot Knob. They have our best wishes. GRANITE.

## Letter From Minnesota.

Ed. Register:—Just from the trip around the "Twin Cities," prosperous, progressive and picturesque, we are inspired to tell the editor of the REGISTER some things offered as interesting viewpoints in and around St. Paul and Minneapolis. The first thing that impresses the visitor is the luxuriant vegetation and the unsurpassed groves of trees, which are not only to be found in double lines up and down the streets, but every lawn seems to have its own shady dell, guarded not by shrubbery merely, but by immense trees. Nature is indeed generous in her gifts. Nowhere, not even in Southern California, have we seen such large and beautiful lilac and snowball bushes, and each a flowering tree, full of beauty and fragrance.

The great grain elevators soon impress every visitor that Minneapolis is a humming business center. "The Flour City" is a town of push and business, and the outlook promises, and past records prove, that it is to have a great future.

St. Paul, the smaller of the two cities, seems a "City on Seven Hills." It is built on the high rocky cliffs of the deep gorges of Mississippi, which links the two great Northern cities with its rest- less waters.

In and around these cities is a cool, clear, refreshing atmosphere, broad fertile plains stretch to rugged ridges, cool forests and sparkling streams. Beautiful homes, well kept farms, shimmering lakes, and rushing falls, with charming spots of nature in her virginal wildness, form scenery of unsurpassed beauty.

These cities have a very fine Twin City Rapid Transit Company service, of which they justly boast. These lines reach every resort and point of interest. Using "the interurbans" between the twin cities a very good idea may be formed of the geography of the places, as well as much interesting sightseeing. The most complete and comprehensive view to be had by trolley is to be obtained by taking the "Sightseer" electric car, which makes a forty mile trip brimful of information and pleasure. This trip requires a full half day, and not a moment of weariness is experienced, for the guide keeps up his interesting description of buildings, parks and streets, while the time slips away only too rapidly. At almost every turn a beautiful little park is spread—its little lake glistening in the sun, with trees and flowers beckoning you to quiet and rest.

Down in the heart of the business section of St. Paul is the new State capitol of Minnesota. This magnificent white marble building is 433 feet long, and 228 feet wide in the central portion. We are told it took twelve years to complete the structure. The exterior is of white marble; the interior, also of marble, is built from products of Italy, France, Greece and Africa, with contributions from many of the States. The great dome, which is 220 feet high, ranks among the famous domes of the world, and they tell us rivals St. Peter's at Rome in impressiveness. (We can't vouch for this latter statement since we have not visited St. Peter's.) Minnesota people also claim that their capitol is only competitor in architectural design and stately interior beauty is the Congressional Library at Washington. Many beautiful buildings are seen on route; many parks and beautiful tree-lined boulevards are passed. We are all interest when told that Minnehaha River, the outlet of Lake Minnetonka, is being crossed. Beautiful "Laughing Water." Here we are at Minnehaha Falls, dear to every American, not only for the beauty of the falls, but on account of Longfellow having immortalized the beauty of the place by his poem "Hiawatha." No cascade is more celebrated in American poetry, and few, if any, claim a surer charm for the visitor. The falls are about forty or fifty feet high, and the whole section about them has been made accessible by rustic paths and bridges. It would take hours to tell of the beauty and grandeur of that wooded glen!

Farther down we cross the Mississippi over the new Lake street bridge. There is to be seen the United States lock and dam No. 2, which is being built to provide a navigable waterway to Minneapolis. After leaving here a considerable portion of the city is crossed, and we are taken to Indian Mounds Park. This park occupies 35 acres, and is situated on the margin of high bluffs overlooking an elbow in the Mississippi river. This bluff is crowned with five superb cone shaped Indian mounds, from which the park takes its name. From the top of these mounds a far reaching view of the river and two cities is hardly equalled in its extent and magnificence. After leaving this park quite a number of famous places are visited before the car reaches the Ryan Hotel, its starting point. From Minneapolis to Lake Minnetonka is a trolley ride of some twenty miles westward. This beautiful lake has a shore line of over 300 miles. Its channels, islands and bays reveal new vistas of hotels, handsome homes, or club houses at every turn. Boats of all descriptions ply stately across the lake, or dart like birds from one point to another. The lake is alive with sail boats, launches and steamers, all adding to the picture. Every form of recreation in which

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## Goodwater Items.

Throughout June we were blessed by an abundant rainfall and, as a natural consequence, vegetation of all kinds is growing luxuriantly.

A particularly heavy rain, accompanied by much lightning and thunder, passed over this section on the 10th instant.

Wheat harvest began here on the 24th. The yield, generally, is rather light, averaging about 12 bushels per acre. Oats, having been sown unusually late, are not yet ready for harvest. Corn was very slow in starting to grow well, but, in most cases, it is now growing thrifflily. Meadows are, in many instances, very weedy, but will yield a large quantity of hay.

Cool nights have prevailed here during the past month, and during many days cool, damp weather was the rule.

The following persons came here on business during June: Sheriff Collins of Washington county, Messrs. C. S. Townsend, John Walton and Frederick Crommer of Belgrade, M. L. Townsend of Potosi, Mounts Anderson of near Brule, Calvin Abney of near Courtis, John Turner of Sunlight, and drummers representing the H. W. Gildehaus Grocery Co., the Witte Hardware Co., and the Wulding Grocery Co., respectively.

On business went: John and Ransom Beers to near Tolu, Wm. Carl to Burgundy, Elmer Anderson to Ironton, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. M. Lucas to Dillard.

Visiting came: Mrs. Mary E. Hawkins and family of Ironton, Miss Maud Yount of Grandin, Miss Essie May Yount of near Ironton, Chas. Cordeur of near Caledonia, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Day of near Bixby, Mrs. Jas. Beers and little granddaughter of Keysville, Geo. F. Mason of near Tolu, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Flowers of near Courtis.

Visiting went: Mr. and Mrs. John Beers to near Greeley, Bixby and Tolu, Saxton Lucas to Quaker, Albert Nipper and family to near Tolu, Ernest and Clarence Abney to near Courtis.

On the 10th inst. a party of jolly young folks, composed of Misses Pearl Love, Essie and Maud Yount, Olin Love and Edgar and Elmer Anderson, went to Brule, where they were met by Messrs. James Newman and Leslie Yount. After spending some time in social conversation and disposing of a feast of good things provided for the occasion, they separated; the Misses Yount returning to Ironton with Messrs. Newman and Yount, the remainder of the party returning to their respective homes here. Needless to say, all hugely enjoyed themselves.

Last Saturday, 22d inst., a large crowd, composed of people from this and adjoining communities, assembled at Emma's church, decorated the graves in the ceme-

tery there, partook of a basket dinner and enjoyed the preaching of a sermon in the morning by Rev. Jas. Nipper, and one during the afternoon by Rev. Jas. Yount.

Prof. H. W. Anderson recently left here for a brief visit to relatives at Decatur, Ill. Thence he went to the encampment of the Y. M. C. A. at Lake Geneva, near Williams' Bay, Wis. At the close of the encampment he intends to return to Lexington, Mo., to resume teaching History and English in Wentworth Military Academy.

D. W. Lucas has returned home from Jamestown, Va., where he enjoyably spent some time. Being a member of the Missouri University Cadets his expenses were borne by the State.

The school here is to be opened next Monday, July 1st, by W. G. Henderson. R. E.

## Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, July 2, 1907:

Days of Week.	Temperature.		Precipitation.
	Highest.	Lowest.	
Wednesday.....	26	81	67
Thursday.....	27	81	51